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Nuremberg Forum 2023 "Legally Undeniable: Criminalising Genocide Denial"

Day 1: 19 October 2023	
3 pm-3.40 pm	Opening Remarks
	Prof. Dr Christoph Safferling , Director, International Nuremberg Principles Academy
	Dr Navi Pillay, President, Advisory Council of the International Nuremberg Principles Academy; former High Commissioner, United Nations High Commission for Human Rights; former Judge, International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda and International Criminal Court Dr Thomas Dickert, President, Higher Regional Court of Nuremberg Dr Nasser Ahmed, City Councillor, City of Nuremberg, representing the Lord Mayor of the City of Nuremberg Dr Wiebke Rückert, Director for Public International Law, German Federal
	Foreign Office
3.40 pm-4 pm	Keynote Addresses
	Dr Ludwig Spaenle , Representative for Jewish Life and Against Anti-Semitism, For Remembrance and Historical Heritage, Bavaria
	Alice Wairimu Nderitu, United Nations Under-Secretary-General; Special Adviser on the Prevention of Genocide, United Nations

4 pm-5 pm	Genocide Survivor Interviews
	Moderator: Dr Michaela Lissowsky, Director Human Rights Hub, Friedrich-Naumann-Foundation Geneva
	Munira Subašić , President, Association "Movement of Mothers of Srebrenica and Žepa Enclaves"
	Dr Christoph Thonfeld, Deputy Director, Dachau Concentration Camp Memorial Site
	Honoré Gatera, Director, Kigali Genocide Memorial

Day 2: 20 October 2023 – Denial: Origins, Impact and Comparative Criminalisation		
Morning Session		
10 am-11.30 am	Panel I: Denial: De Facto, de Jure and in Doctrina	
	Moderator: Kiran Mohandas Menon, Senior Officer, International Nuremberg Principles Academy	
	Speakers:	
	Prof. Dr Christoph Safferling , Director, International Nuremberg Principles Academy	
	Dr Charles Asher Small, Founder and Executive Director, Institute for the Study of Global Antisemitism and Policy	
	Prof. Nadine Strossen , Professor of Law, New York Law School	
	Discussion and Q&A	
11.30 am-12 pm	Coffee Break	

12 pm-1.30 pm	Panel II: The Effects of Denial in Post-Conflict Societies
	Moderator: Darleen Seda, Senior Officer, International Nuremberg Principles Academy
	Speakers:
	Dr Serge Brammertz, Chief Prosecutor, United Nations International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals
	Alice Wairimu Nderitu, United Nations Under-Secretary-General; Special Adviser on the Prevention of Genocide, United Nations
	Aimable Havugiyaremye, Prosecutor General, Rwanda
	Christian Schmidt, High Representative for Bosnia and Herzegovina, Office of the High Representative
	Discussion and Q&A
1.30 pm-2.30 pm	Lunch
Afternoon Session	
2.30 pm-4 pm	Panel III: Denial, its Regulation and Legal Peculiarities
	Moderator: Dr Pablo Gavira Díaz, Project Officer, International Nuremberg Principles Academy
	Speakers:
	Prof. Belinda Cooper , Adjunct Professor, Columbia University Institute for the Study of Human Rights
	Prof. Gregory S. Gordon , Professor of Law, Chinese University of Hong Kong; Director, Master of Laws Programme in Legal History, Chinese University of Hong Kong

	Prof. Almir Maljević, Professor of Criminal Law, University of Sarajevo Discussion and Q&A
4 pm–5 pm	Visit to the Memorium Nuremberg Trials (optional) Introduction by Dr Imanuel Baumann, Director, Memorium Nuremberg Trials
7 pm	State Reception by invitation of the Bavarian Ministry of Justice (by invitation only)

Day 3: 21 October 2023 – Effect on Victims and Alternative Solutions	
Morning Session	
10.30 am-12 pm	Panel IV: Redress, Recognition and Reconciliation
	Moderator: Dr Gurgen Petrossian, Senior Officer, International Nuremberg Principles Academy
	Speakers:
	Aimable Havugiyaremye, Prosecutor General, Rwanda
	Honoré Gatera, Director, Kigali Genocide Memorial
	Maria Wilke, Academic Consultant to the Board of Directors, Foundation Remembrance, Responsibility and Future
	Samra Čardaković, Legal Advisor in Bosnia and Herzegovina, TRIAL International (present in personal capacity)
	Discussion and Q&A
12 pm–1 pm	Lunch

1 pm-2.40 pm	Panel V: Undeniable and not Unsolvable. Other Ways Forward
	Moderator: Laurel Baig, Senior Appeals Counsel, Office of the Prosecutor, United Nations International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals
	Speakers:
	Dr Emir Suljagić , Director, Srebrenica-Potočari Memorial Center; Former Minister of Education and Deputy Minister of Defence, Bosnia and Herzegovina
	Prof. Dr Charlotte Bühl-Gramer , Professor of History Didactics, Friedrich-Alexander-Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg
	David Kaye , Clinical Professor of Law, University of California, Irvine; former United Nations Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of the right to freedom of opinion and expression
	Tali Nates , Founder and Executive Director, Johannesburg Holocaust and Genocide Centre
	Discussion and Q&A
2.40 pm-3 pm	Closing Remarks
	Prof. Dr Christoph Safferling , Director, International Nuremberg Principles Academy
4 pm–6 pm	Guided Tour, Nazi Party Rally Grounds (by invitation only)